

District 2 Special Election Timeline Sunday, November 8, 2020 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. College Park Community Center 5051 Pierce Avenue

Public Notice/Call for Candidates: "City Clerk shall give public notice of the vacancy, containing the qualifications of the office, the geographical boundaries of the district(s) to be represented, the procedure to applyto be placed on the special election ballotand the deadline for applications." Public Notice #1	Wednesday, 09/02/20	Approved Plan advertised: -Constant Contact -Municipal Scene -Here and Now Newspaper -Website -Cable Channel -Weekly Bulletin -Diamondback -Social Media
Mail Absentee Ballot <u>Applications</u> to all District 2 registered voters Public Notice #2	~09/14/20 Received in homes between 9/21 – 9/25	Application also posted on our website and placed at City buildings.
Candidacy petitions/auth. forms due: Petition for Candidacy Authorization for Candidacy Appointment/Acceptance of Treasurer Financial Disclosure Statements Authorization of Electronic Filing	Thursday, 10/01/20 no later than 4:00 p.m.	Originals submitted to City Clerk at 8400 Baltimore Avenue, Suite 375. (You may contact the City Clerk to make an appointment to submit your paperwork)
Prepare, finalize, and print ballots	Friday, 10/02/20	
Public Notice #3	Friday, 10/02/20 or Monday, 10/05/20	Announce candidates, provide bios, and repeat election notice

Mail Requested Ballots to qualified District 2 voters who have submitted applications	Monday, 10/05/20 through Friday, 10/30/20	
Last date to register to vote	You must be registered to vote at your current address by Sunday, 10/11/20. If you have been voting regularly and haven't moved or changed your name, you should be all set. To check your voter registration status, or to make updates to your name or address, you may: • Use Maryland's Online Voter Registration System (24/7) if you have a valid Maryland Driver's License or ID Card, by Sunday, 10/11/20. • Or, register with the Prince George's County Board of Elections: o In person: By Friday, 10/9/20, at 4:30 p.m. o By mail: Postmarked by Saturday, 10/10/20	
Voter Notification Cards mailed by County	The week of 10/12/20	Normally 2 -3 weeks prior to election
Public Notice #4		
Last day to withdraw candidacy	Wednesday, 10/28/20	11 th day before the election C3-6 (B)(3)(a)
"In-person" emergency absentee voting (late application) 8400 Baltimore Avenue, #375 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Monday, 11/02/20 – Friday, 11/6/20, EXCEPT 11/3/20	Note: City offices are closed November 3, 2020
Election Day	Sunday, 11/08/20 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	College Park Community Center, 5051 Pierce Avenue, College Park
Preliminary Count of Election Day Ballots The preliminary count does not include the absentee ballots or validated provisional ballots	Sunday, 11/08/20 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (After the polls close)	Davis Hall Due to COVID safety protocols, this count will be televised instead of inviting the public in.

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Voted Ballots are Due Back:	If by mail: Postmarked no later than Saturday, 11/07/20	
	If hand delivered to the poll: no later than Sunday, 11/08/20 at 6:00 p.m.	
	If delivered to the Drop Box: no later than Sunday, 11/08/20 at 6:00 p.m.	
Official Canvass	Friday, 11/13/20 at 2:00	Davis Hall
Absentee ballots and validated provisional ballots will be counted Certify results after canvass	p.m.	Canvass delayed for COVID Safety protocols and to allow more time for County to validate
Challenge period (3 working days) begins upon certification	Challenge period ends Wednesday, 11/18/20	Due to COVID safety protocols, this count will be televised instead of inviting the public in
BOES provides Official Report to Council; Swearing-in of new Councilmember	Tuesday, 12/08/20	
Campaign Finance Reports due:		
Initial	Between Sunday, 10/04/20 and no later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, 10/19/20	Code: 34-15A(1) 34-16A
Pre-Election		Code:

Post-Election	Friday, 10/30/20 or Saturday, 10/31/20 (8 th or 9 th day preceding the election) by 4 p.m.	34-15A(1) 34-16A
	Monday, 11/9/2020 - Sunday, 11/22/20 (By 14 days following the election) by 4 p.m.	Code: 34-15A(2) 34-16C

Per City Code Chapter 34-16C: A candidate who fails to file all reports and statements required by this section by Tuesday, December 8, the candidate shall be considered to have forfeited his right to office.